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Office of the Regional Administrator / Region I

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Jim Giffin, Acting Commissioner
Department of Aging and Disabilities
103 South Main Street
Waterbury, Vermont 05671-2301

Dear Mr. Giffin:

Thank you for your August 2, 2002, letter, received by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Regional Office in Boston on August 6, 2002, requesting a 90-day temporary extension of the 40182.90 home and community-based services waiver for individuals with traumatic brain injuries.

I am granting this temporary extension so that the 40182.90 waiver may now continue through December 29, 2002 at the level approved for Renewal Year 5 (10/1/01 to 9/30/02).

If you have any questions, please call Nancy Grano at (617) 565-1695.

Sincerely yours,

Lynda F. Silva
Acting Regional Administrator

cc: Jane Kitchel, Secretary, AHS
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